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DIFFERENT RESONANT FREQUENCIES (As Amended)Asst. Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 18, 1999, please reconsider the above-identified application amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:Please cancel claims ~~70-74~~ and ~~81-92~~, without prejudice.

Please add the following new claim 93 as follows:

--93. An electric motor brush assembly for being mounted in a DC electric motor,
comprising:first and second resilient, electrically conductive support arms arranged for being axially
spaced from each other with respect to a longitudinal axis of said DC electric motor when said
assembly is mounted in the motor,
the support arms being connected electrically in parallel,

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